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SACRED HYMN.



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SOLO AND CHORUS.

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Slowly mf

SOLO.

1. Oh my Father, Thou that dwellest In the high and glorious
 2. For a wise and glorious purpose Thou hast placed me here on

CHORUS.

Oh my Father, Thou that dwellest In that high and glorious
 For a wise and glorious purpose Thou hast placed me here on

ORGAN.

place! When shall I re - gain Thy presence, And a - gain behold Thy face? In Thy
 earth, And withheld the re - col - lec - tion Of my form - er friends and birth. Yet oft -

place! When shall I regain Thy presence, And again behold Thy face? In Thy
 earth, And withheld the re - col - lec - tion Of my former friends and birth, Yet oft -

holy hab-i - ta - tion, Did my spir - it once re - side? In my first pri - me-val
times a secret something Whispered "You're a stranger here;" And I felt that I had

In Thy holy hab-i - ta - tion, Did my spirit once re - side? In my first primeval
Yet oftentimes a secret something Whispered "You're a stranger here;" And I felt that I had

rit. cres. f dim.
childhood, Was I nur - tured near Thy side,
wandered From a more ex - alt-ed sphere.

rit. cres. f dim. pp
childhood, Was I nur - tured near Thy side, near Thy side,
wandered From a more ex - alt-ed sphere. ex - alt - ed sphere.

rit. cres. f dim.

3.

I had learned to call Thee Father,
Through Thy Spirit from on high;
But, until the Key of Knowledge
Was restored, I knew not why.
In the heavens, are parent's single?
No; the thought makes reason stare!
Truth is reason; truth eternal
Tells me, I've a mother there.

4.

When I leave this frail existence,
When I lay this mortal by,
Father, Mother, may I meet you
In your royal courts on high?
Then, at length, when I've completed
All you sent me forth to do,
With your mutual approbation
Let me come and dwell with you.

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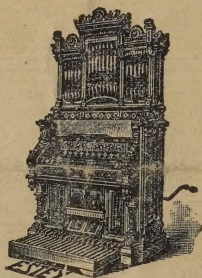
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